



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re: Application of: Benjamin Oshlack, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/689,866  
Filed: October 21, 2003  
For: **TAMPER-RESISTANT ORAL OPIOID  
AGONIST FORMULATIONS**  
Examiner: Humera N. SHEIKH  
Docket No.: 200.1133CON

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 20, 2007

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

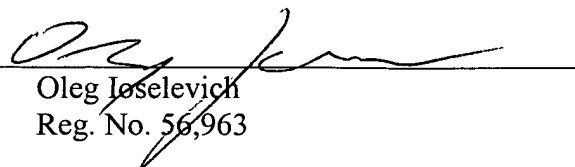
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2007 for two (2) months, from October 27, 2007 to December 27, 2007.

A check for \$460.00 covering the two (2) months extension fee is enclosed. If it is determined that any additional fees are due or if any fees have been overpaid, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the deficiency or credit the overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

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